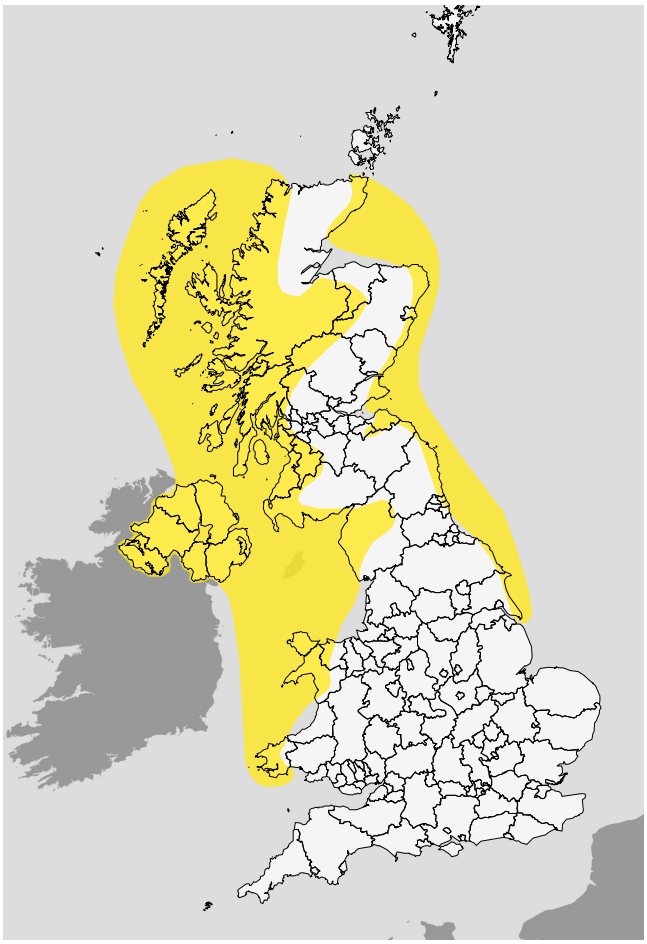
Yellow warning
Wind

Between
05:00 Sat 23 Nov 2024 and
19:00 Sat 23 Nov 2024



Storm Bert will bring strong winds for a time on Saturday, which may cause some disruption in places

What to expect

- There is a small chance of injuries and danger to life from flying debris
- There is a slight chance of some damage to buildings, such as tiles blown from roofs
- There is a small chance of longer journey times or cancellations as road, rail, air and ferry services are affected
- There is a small chance that some roads and bridges could close
- There is a slight chance that power cuts may occur, with the potential to affect other services, such as mobile phone coverage
- There is a small chance that injuries and danger to life could occur from large waves and beach material being thrown onto sea fronts, coastal roads and properties

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Further details

A period of strong southeasterly winds is likely for a time on Saturday, with peak gusts of 50-60 mph in many parts of the warning area, but 60-70 mph in some coastal areas and also locally to the lee (northwest) of high ground, and perhaps in excess of 70 mph along some exposed coasts of Northern Ireland and western Scotland.

What should I do?

Give yourself the best chance of avoiding delays by checking road conditions if driving, or bus and train timetables, amending your travel plans if necessary.

People cope better with power cuts when they have prepared for them in advance. It's easy to do; consider gathering torches and batteries, a mobile phone power pack and other essential items.

If you are on the coast, stay safe during stormy weather by being aware of large waves. Even from the shore large breaking waves can sweep you off your feet and out to sea. Take care if walking near cliffs; know your route and keep dogs on a lead. In an emergency, call 999 and ask for the Coastguard.

Be prepared for weather warnings to change quickly: when a weather warning is issued, the Met Office recommends staying up to date with the weather forecast in your area.

Reason for update

The "What to Expect" text has been updated.

Very low likelihood of medium impacts

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Angus Fife Perth and Kinross Stirling

Grampian

Aberdeen Aberdeenshire Moray

Highlands & Eilean Siar

Eilean Siar Highland

North East England

North Tyneside Northumberland Redcar and Cleveland South Tyneside Sunderland

North West England

Cumbria

Northern Ireland

County Antrim County Armagh County Down County Fermanagh County Londonderry
County Tyrone

SW Scotland, Lothian Borders

Dumfries and Galloway East Lothian Midlothian Council Scottish Borders

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All regions & authorities affected (continued)

Strathclyde

Argyll and Bute East Ayrshire East Renfrewshire Inverclyde North Ayrshire Renfrewshire South Ayrshire South Lanarkshire

Wales

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